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Rutland...

Old Home

..... Week

August 11 to 17, 1901

Programme of Rutland Old Home Week

Sunday August 11th - Each religious body is asked to take especial notice of the observance of Old Home Week, doing so in its own manner from the pulpit, and no less from the choir by appropriate music in which all may take part.

Monday August 12th - On four days of the week, beginning with today, Memorial Hall, which contains the Public Free Library, will be open, and a committee of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be in attendance to receive visitors between the hours of ten and eleven in the morning. The grounds of the Rutland Golf Club are made free by its members to all visiting guests throughout the week.

Tuesday August 13th - From four to six o'clock in the afternoon, the ladies of the Congregational and Baptist Churches will hold informal receptions at their respective church parlors, for members of their own congregations and visiting guests who are affiliated with these bodies. At eight o'clock in the evening a revolutionary drama in three acts entitled "A Colonial Girl", will be rendered at the Opera House by the Rutland Dramatic Club, an organization of trained amateurs, at low rates of admission.

Wednesday August 14th - From four to six o'clock in the afternoon, informal receptions will be held as follows, for members of the respective congregations and visiting guests who are affiliated with these bodies, namely: at Trinity Rectory by the ladies of the Episcopal Church; at their Church parlors, by the ladies of the Methodist Church; and at the rooms of the Canado-American Club, by ladies of the French Catholic Church. In the evening an open-air concert will be given by the Rutland City Band, at the old park at the corner of Main and West streets, opposite the monument erected on the site of old Fort Rutland. At eight o'clock the High School Alumni Association will hold a reception at Grand Army Hall for all former graduates or scholars of the High School.

Thursday August 15th - Arrangements have been made for visiting the quarries at West Rutland for Thursday morning, at which time special electric cars will be furnished by the Company at a one way fare for the round trip. A carriage trip to the hotel near the summit of Mount Killington can be made any day of the week on application to R. M. Spaulding, 33 South Main Street, on the day before. Passengers will be taken up at their respective

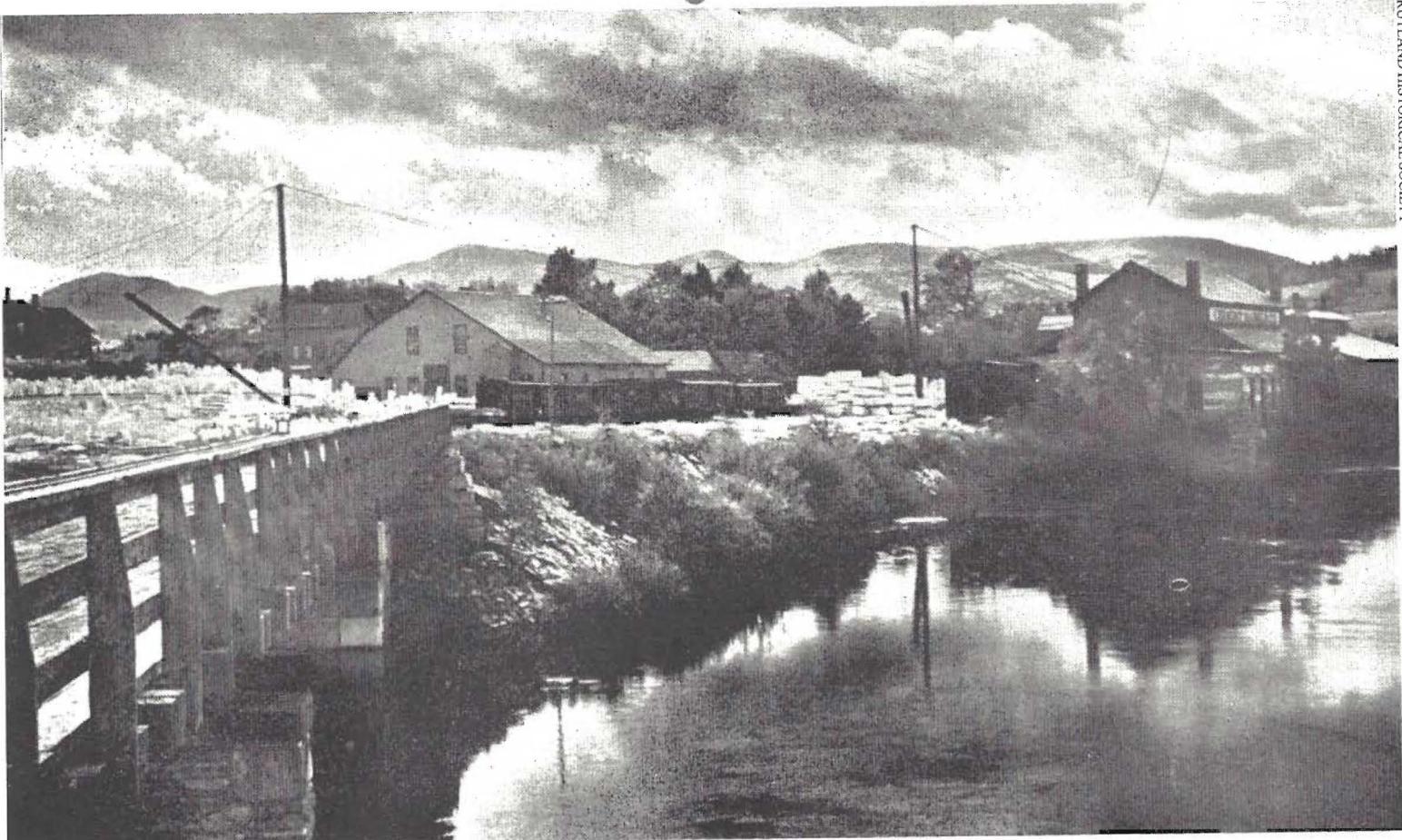
homes, and, if a sufficient number apply, a round trip rate of one dollar will be made, going and returning the same day. Meals at the hotel will be furnished for seventy-five cents, or board for two and one-half dollars a day. The Rutland Choral Association comprises a mixed chorus of about one hundred and twenty-five trained voices with competent soloists, and an orchestra of wind stringed instruments, numbering about twenty pieces, all under skilled leadership. This Association will give a concert at low rates, in the evening of this day, on the Fair Grounds, at the south part of the city, to which access is directly had by electric railway. The audience will be seated on the sheltered grandstand, with the chorus on a covered platform directly before them.

Friday August 16th – The Rutland Country Club cheerfully places its grounds at the disposal of guests for a basket picnic beginning at four o'clock in the afternoon. These grounds were formerly the Baxter Farm at the northwest part of the city and at the foot of Pine Hill on the banks of the East Creek. The city electric line lands passengers within a quarter of a mile of the grounds. It is expected that the new golf course will be in readiness.

Saturday August 17th – From four to six o'clock in the afternoon an informal reception will be held by the ladies of the Universalist Church, at their church parlors, for members of the congregation and visiting guests who are affiliated therewith. An all-day excursion trip by rail and steamer has been arranged by the local branch of the Young Men's Christian Association. The route is from Rutland to Rouses Point, N.Y. and return between eight o'clock in the morning and seven o'clock in the evening. The round trip rate will be only two dollars. The transportation will be by rail through the islands to Rouses Point. The return trip from Rouses Point will be by the Steamboat Reindeer to Burlington and thence by rail back to Rutland.

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Otter Creek and Marble Mills – Centre Rutland

JANUARY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 New Year's Day	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

INCLUDE RUTLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY IN YOUR ESTATE PLANS



Interior of Marble Quarry – Typical of those at West Rutland and Proctor

FEBRUARY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
			Lincoln's Birthday		Valentine's Day	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	President's Day					
23	24	25	26	27	28	

CHECK NEXT MAILING LABEL FOR DUES INFORMATION



Maple Sugar Grove – Gathering Sap

MARCH 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Ash Wednesday			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Daylight Savings Begins						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	St. Patrick's Day					
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

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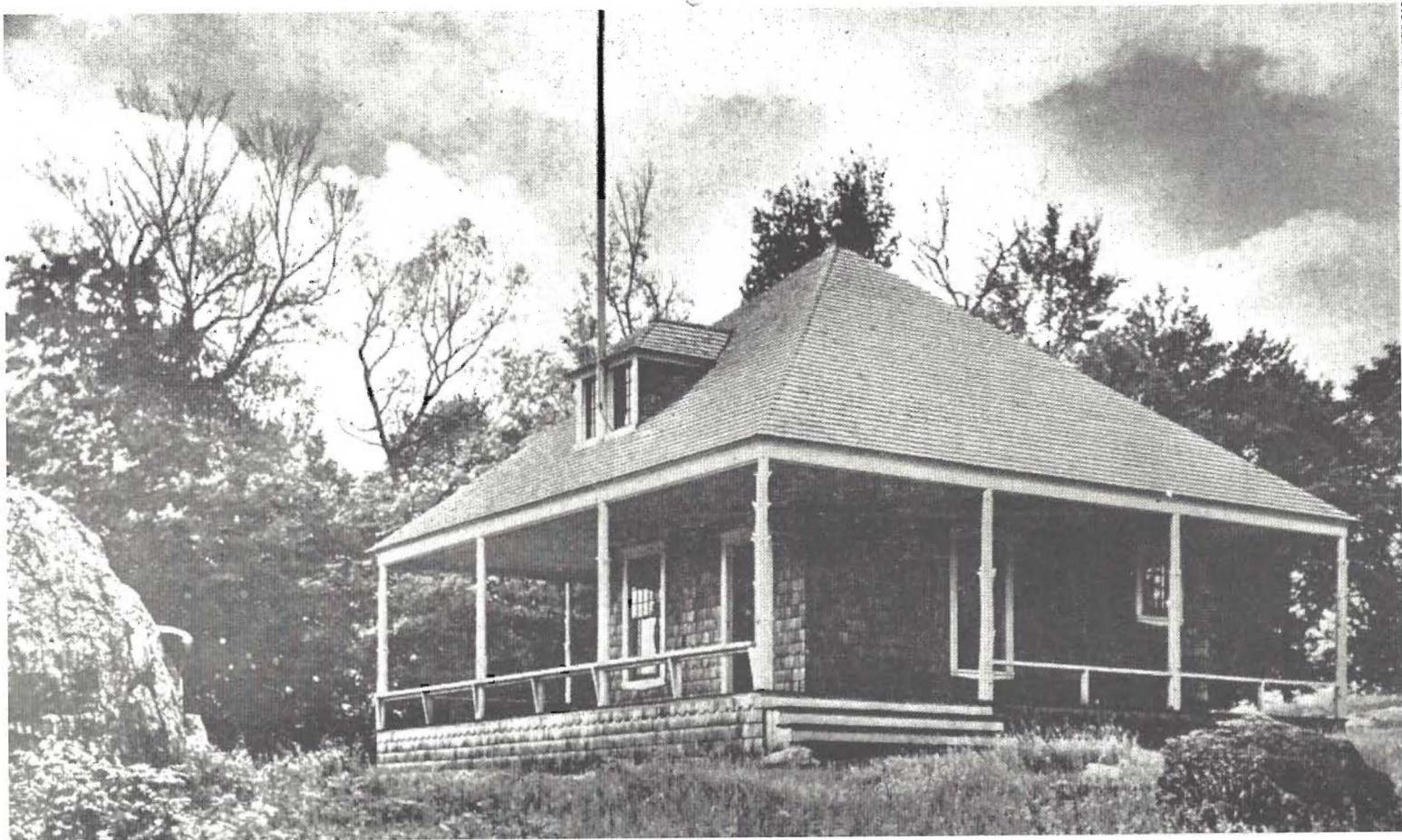


Marble Mills and Yard – West Rutland

APRIL 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Palm Sunday		Passover			Good Friday	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Easter						
27	28	29	30			

“HISTORICALLY SPEAKING” WED - 4PM; THUR - 1:30PM; FRI – 7:30PM

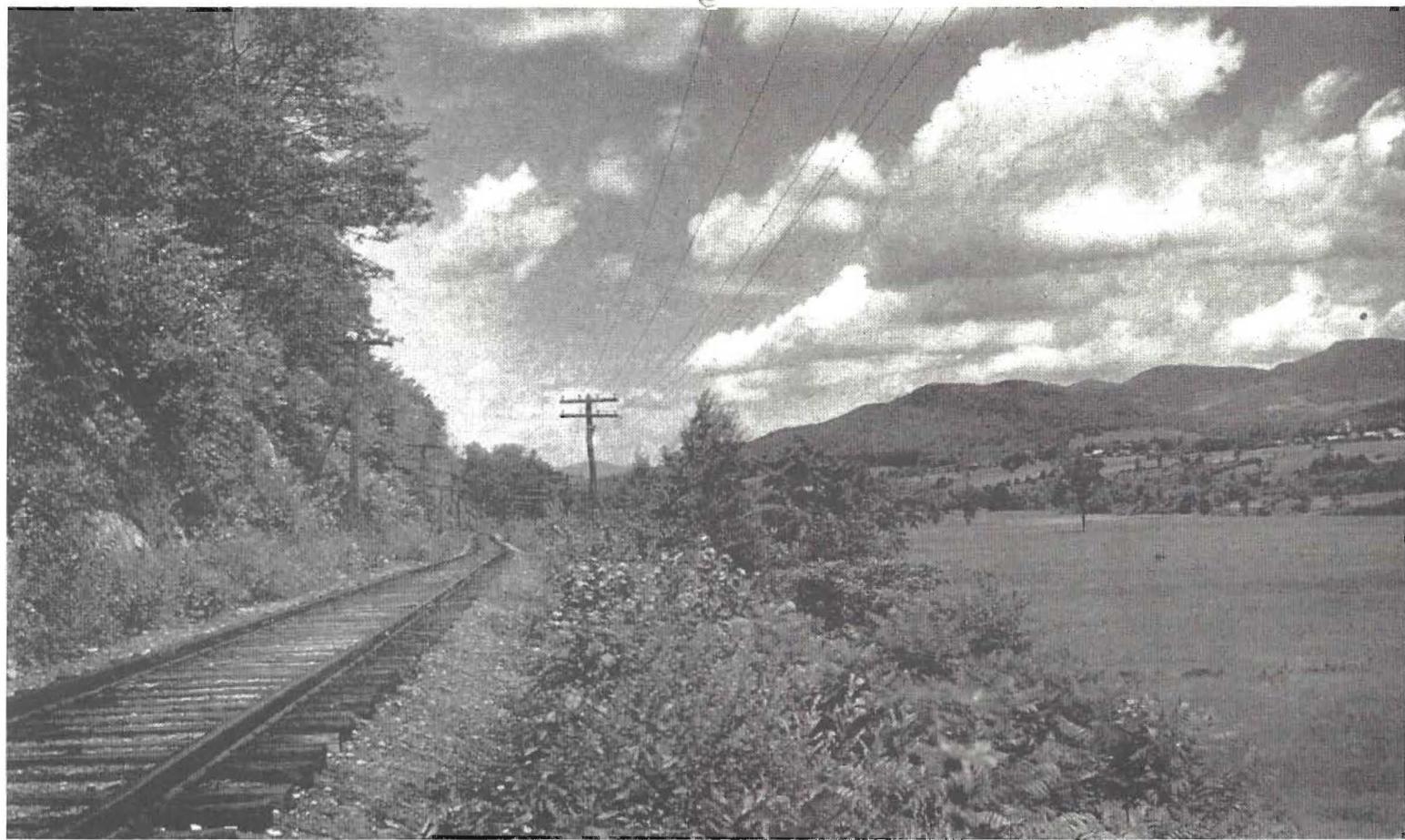


Golf Club House – Rutland

MAY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Mother's Day						Armed Force's Day
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Memorial Day					

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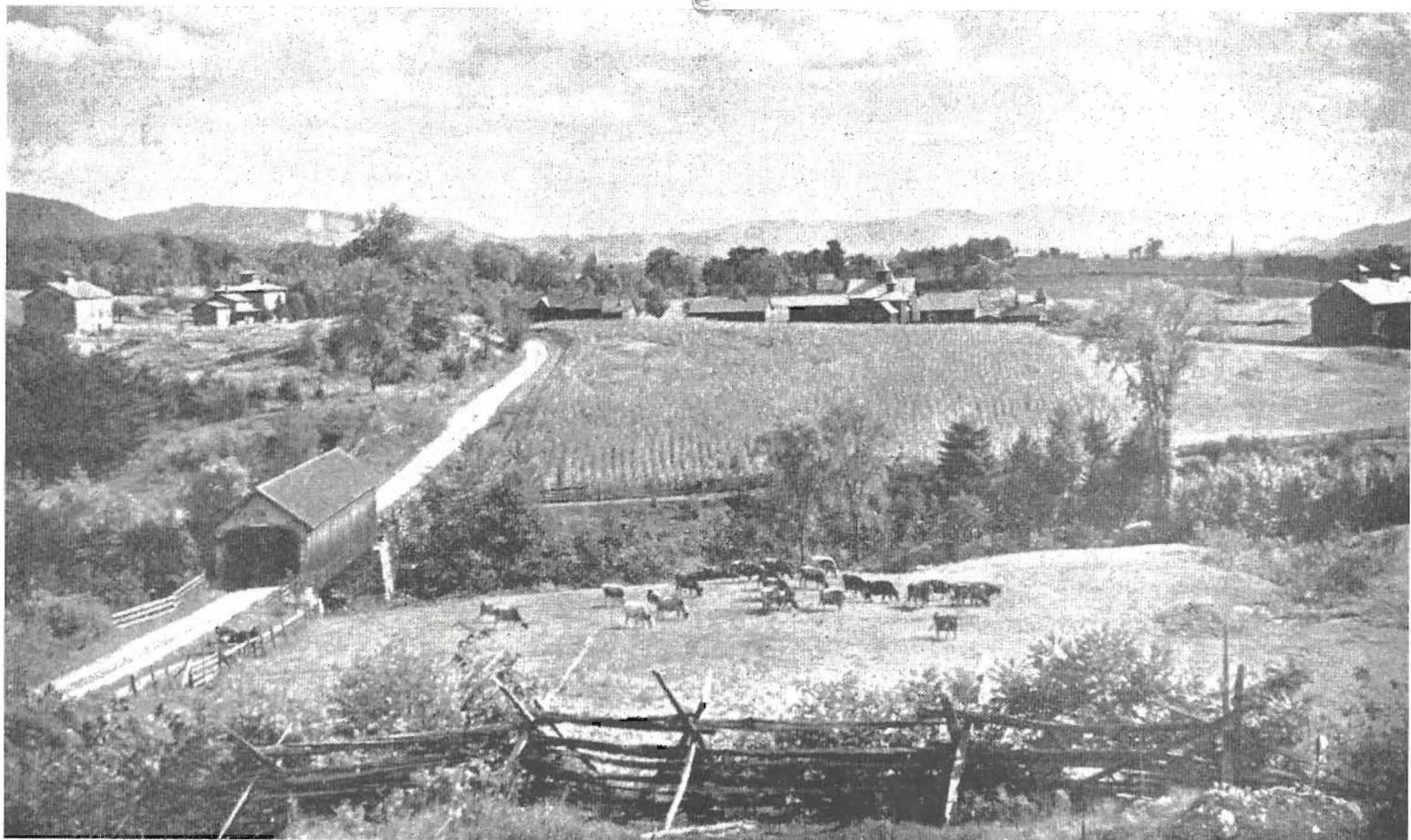


Otter Creek Valley – Proctor and Pittsford

JUNE 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Father's Day						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

THERE ARE 600 RUTLAND TIDBITS ON THE SOCIETY WEB SITE



Rutland Country Club Grounds

JULY 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
					Independence Day	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

NO CABLE? VIEW PEGTV PROGRAMS ON YOUR COMPUTER

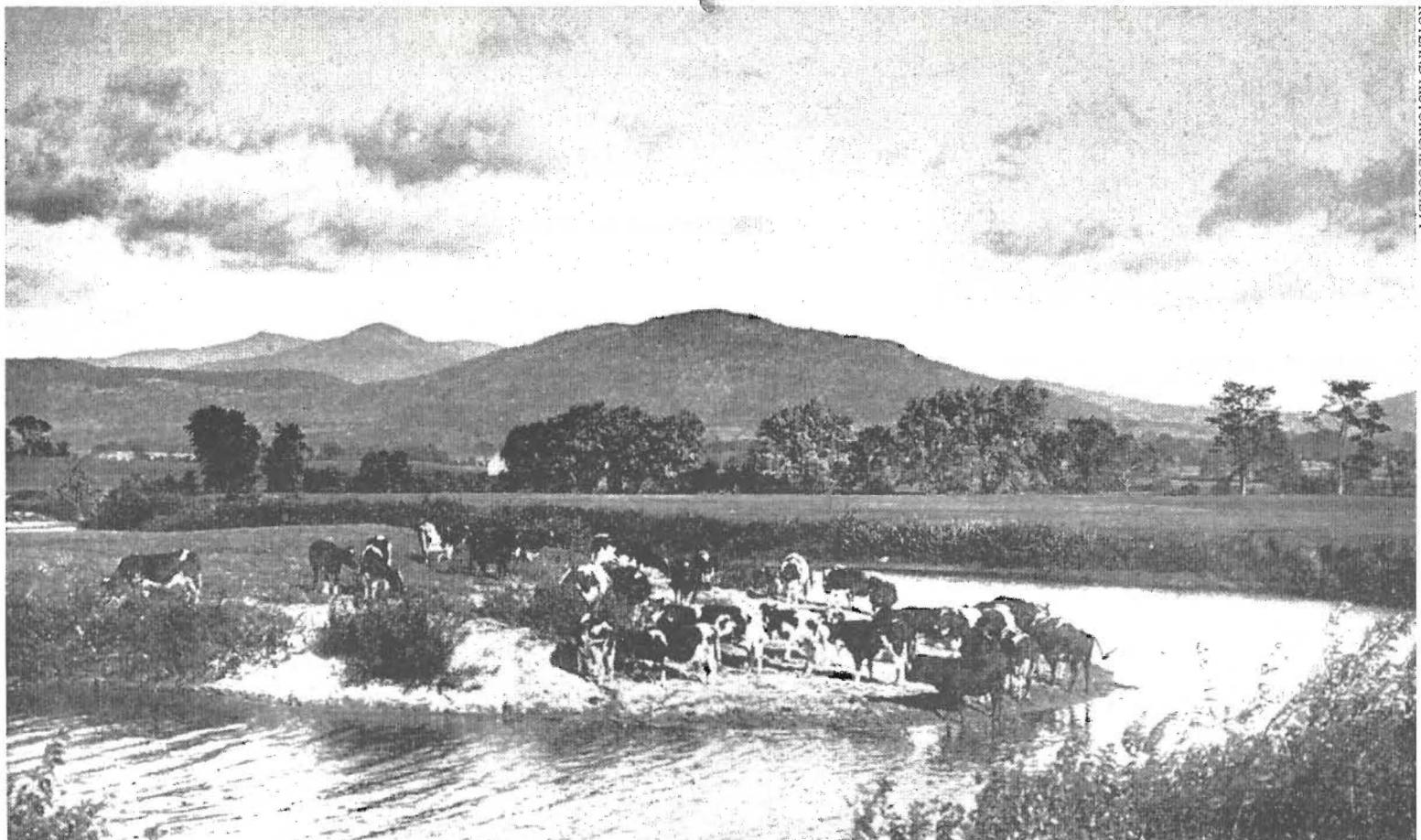


Rural Drive – North from Rutland Country Club

AUGUST 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
						Battle of Bennington Day
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

VISIT THE FARM MUSEUM AT THE RUTLAND FAIR

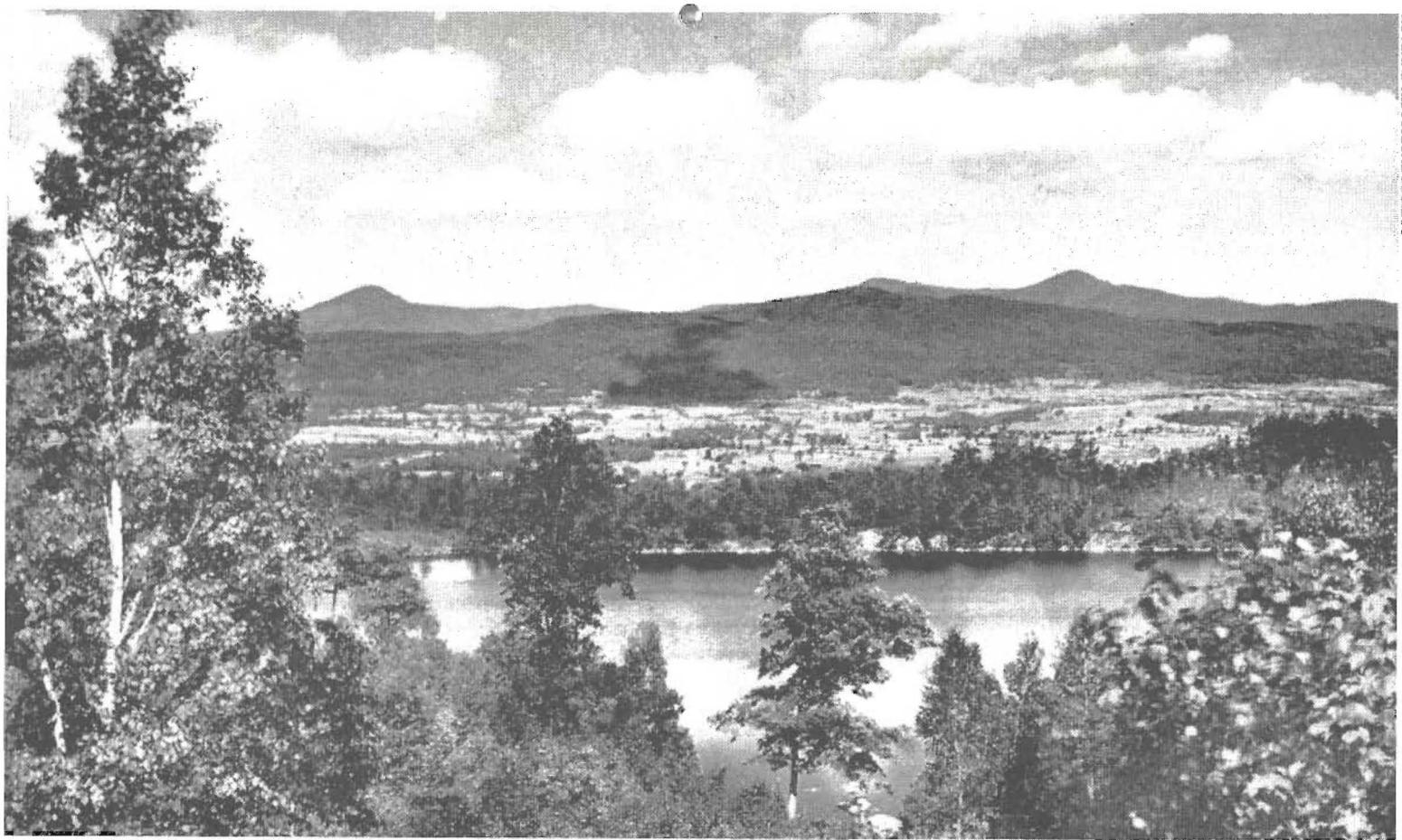


Otter Creek Meadows – Rutland

SEPTEMBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Labor Day	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30		Rosh Hashanah		

DO YOU HAVE ITEMS TO DONATE FOR THE OCTOBER SALE?



Rutland Valley and Pine Hill Pond – Pico, Killington, Shrewsbury

OCTOBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Columbus Day					
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	
						Halloween

OCTOBER IS SOCIETY ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING MONTH

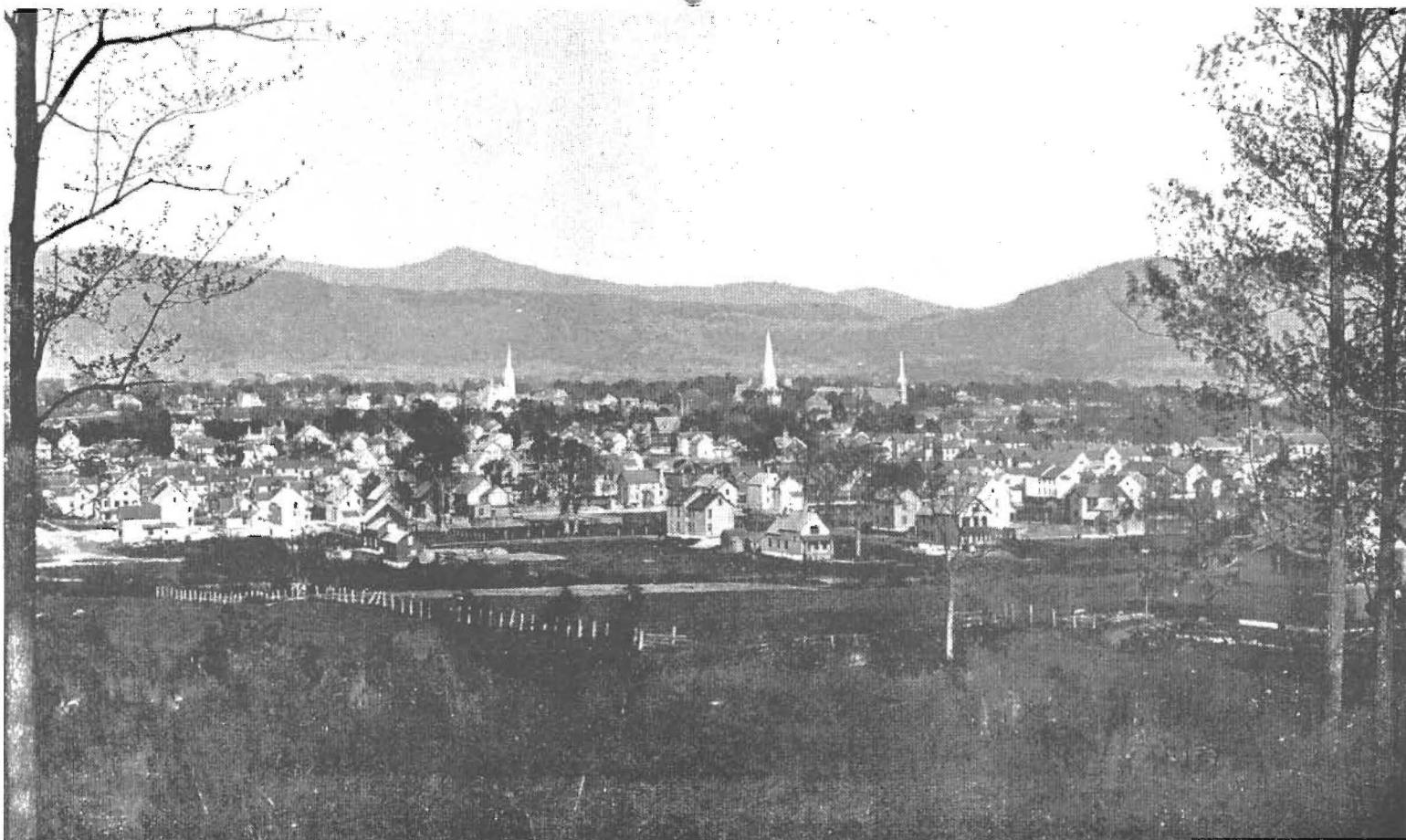


Water Shadows – Otter Creek – Rutland

NOVEMBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Daylight Savings Ends						
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		Veteran's Day				
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30				Thanksgiving Day		

CAN YOU MAKE AN ADDITIONAL DONATION TO THE SOCIETY?



City of Rutland, with Green Mountains on the East

DECEMBER 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Pearl Harbor Day						
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
			Hanukkah			
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
				Christmas Day		
28	29	30	31			

THE SOCIETY HAS PUBLICATIONS & GIFT MEMBERSHIPS FOR SALE

THE RUTLAND DRAMATIC CLUB

PRESENTS

“A COLONIAL GIRL”

COMEDY IN THREE ACTS

BY GRACE LIVINGSTON FURNIS
AND
ABBY SAGE RICHARDSON

Stage Direction – D.C. FRANCISCO

**RUTLAND OPERA HOUSE
AUGUST 13TH 1901**

DOORS OPEN AT 7:45 P. M.
OVERTURE AT 8:15 P. M.
CURTAIN AT 8:30 P. M.

Reservations of seats can be made on and after Tuesday,
August 6th, 1901 by mail or telephone through
A.W. HIGGINS, manager
Rutland Opera House, Rutland, Vermont